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TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : BONN

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ROUTINE

TO: DIR THRU SFRAN

INFO: SPULL THRU
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CITE: SBONN

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RE: per OPR 43-26
04979 (OUT 91443)

Funds will be available

1. DESPITE ANY UNCLARIFIED POINTS IN GLOBKE BACKGROUND, SUGGEST DO NOT UNDERESTIMATE HIS IMPORTANCE IN PRESENT GERMAN GOVERNMENT. HOPE THIS NOT INFERENCE FROM PROPOSED CURTAILMENT VISIT AND INDEFINITE ARRANGEMENTS PARA 3 REF.

2. GLOBKE MUCH MORE IMPORTANT THAN HIS RANK INDICATES. REFERENCES TO HIM AS THE GREY EMINENCE IN THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT MAYNOT BE ABSOLUTELY CORRECT SINCE HE MAY NOT ACTUALLY MAKE DECISIONS BUT HE IS INVOLVED IN ALL MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL DECISIONS AND CONTROLS ACCESS OF EVEN CABINET MINISTERS TO ADENAUER. HE MORE IMPORTANT THAN OTHER VISITORS ON WHOM TIME HAS BEEN SPENT AND SHOULD BE HANDLED ONLY BY KUBARK TOP ECHELON, INCLUDING POSSIBLE PERSONAL ATTENTION FROM DIRECTOR.

3. ADENAUER PERSONALLY DELEGATED GLOBKE TO HANDLE TOP LEVEL INTELLIGENCE POLICY MATTERS FOR THE GOVERNMENT EVEN WHEN LENZ WAS STATE SECRETARY AND GLOBKE ONLY ASSISTANT. ADENAUER REPEATED THIS

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DESIGNATION AFTER GLOBKE BECAME STATE SEC. GLOBKE'S INTEREST IS NOT IN THE DETAILS OF INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS BUT IN THE OVERALL QUESTION OF HOW INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY SERVICES FIT INTO THE FRAMEWORK OF GOVERNMENT. SUGGESTED SUBJECTS ARE: (A) CHARTER DISTINCTIONS BETWEEN SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE WITH EXPLANATION OF ODENVY/KUBARK RELATIONSHIP, (B) RELATIONSHIP OF INTELLIGENCE TO EXECUTIVE AND TO CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES, (C) FUNCTIONING OF NSC AND IAC, (D) METHODS OF INCORPORATING CLASSIFIED ITEMS IN NATIONAL BUDGETS.

4. NO FIRM SCHEDULE YET ESTABLISHED EXCEPT THAT ADENAUER TO BE WASH 14 JUNE FOR LUNCHEON GIVEN BY PRESIDENT. WILL CABLE DETAILS IF ESTABLISHED THAT GLOBE ALSO MAKING TRIP.

END OF MESSAGE

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